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SUBJECT: BOEING VERTOL SALES EFFORTS IN EGYPT

REF: CAIRO 13747

ALTHOUGH USG HAS ISSUED MUNITIONS CONTROL LICENSE FOR
BOEING VERTOL'S SALES EFFORTS RE "CHINOOK" HELICOPTER,
THIS REMAINS PURELY A COMPANY EFFORT WITHOUT USG
SPONSORSHIP. AS EMBASSY WILL RECALL, WE EARLIER HAD IN-
FORMED GOE OF OUR WILLINGNESS TO GIVE SYMPATHETIC CON-
SIDERATION TO REQUESTS FOR UTILITY HELICOPTERS. GOE RES-
PONSE WAS THAT THEY HAD NO INTEREST IN SUCH ITEMS. ACCORD-
INGLY, EMBASSY SHOULD NOT UNDERTAKE TO ARRANGE APPOINTMENTS
FOR FELITON (SINCE EGYPTIANS MIGHT MISINTERPRET THIS TO
INDICATE USG INTEREST IN SELLING "CHINOOKS"). SHOULD SADEK
OR OTHER GOE OFFICIALS INQUIRE INTO USG POSITION, YOU MAY
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INFORM THEM THAT LICENSE HAS BEEN ISSUED CONSISTENT WITH
OUR EARLIER-COMMUNICATED WILLINGNESS TO COUNTENANCE SALE
OF SUCH ITEMS; HOWEVER, THIS IS MATTER SOLELY FOR GOE
DECISION. ADDITIONAL LICENSE WOULD BE REQUIRED FOR RELEASE
OF HELICOPTERS IN EVENT OF SALE.(FYI - THIS LIKEWISE WOULD
BE SUBJECT TO REVIEW IN LIGHT OF IMPACT ON ARMS TRANSFER
CEILING. END FYI) IT IS STRICTLY UP TO GOE WHETHER OR NOT

THEY WISH TO PURSUE MATTER WITH BOEING-VERTOL. VANCE

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